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LETTER TO THE EDITOR:

Editor Post:-

Referring to the article, copied from the Coalfield Progress, with reference to my cows, I beg to say that I realize the article was intended as a compliment, but I have no desire to "sail under false colors" and desire to state the facts as they are:

First.—I do not make \$125.00 per month on three cows.

Second.—The cows are not "dairy cows imported from a dairy farm in Tennessee."

As you know we own a small place below town and thereon raise some corn and hay. You also know milk, pure milk, in our town is a very scarce article, hence we keep the cows. Being far from an expert in the churning business, and possibly lacking in energy, and having purchased my butter, delicious, from Mrs. L. M. Wade for sixteen years, I prefer to sell in bulk my surplus milk rather than to churn it. Of course you are business man enough to know I do not clear \$125.00 on the milk I sell.

I was asked by a gentleman last week how much milk I sold from the cows. I replied "after keeping from one and a half to two gallons for our own use, \$125.00 per month." I did not know my conversation was for publication or I should have explained the cows have to be fed (highly) on chop and hay; in summer are kept on pasture and do not run out on the commons, and I pay a man to milk them and attend to the stable. So you see it is not all profit but enough profit to enable us to enjoy the privilege of keeping our own clean, healthy cows

and having a bountiful supply of milk for our own use.

The cows are two beautiful young Jerseys, purchased from Mrs. Wm. Young, of Turkey Cove, and a short horn purchased here in town. I have recently purchased a pure bred Holstein heifer from the University of Tennessee but she is not yet grown.

The gentleman asked me about "profit in cows around here because he was trying to interest some people in a real dairy farm and I said I had always thought a real, well kept, clean dairy here would pay well. He then asked me about my own cows which I am afraid, I will have to confess, are my "hobby." Very sincerely,
MRS. CHALKLEY.

If you consider every day the best in the year there will be no other kind.

When a fellow tells a lie he generally has to tell another one to tone down the effect of the first one.

Men are in a receptive mood when they want public office, and often in a deceptive one after they get it.

Nothing holds its own quite like the bald spot on the dome of a man's head.

People often make light of "star gazers," but if it were not for some of them we would not know much about astronomy.

A pretty woman may know she is pretty, but often it is the druggist who knows the secret of how it is done.

A knowledge of the law of health does not come by instinct, says a leading authority. It must be taught. Every child should be taught to desire cleanliness instead of accepting it under protest, for cleanliness leads to health, and health enriches the power of mind and paves the road to success.

Town Election

Mayor, Treasurer and Sergeant Re-Elected

The election held in Big Stone Gap on yesterday for the election of a mayor, town sergeant, treasurer and six councilmen resulted in the election of the following. We give the vote of each candidate appearing on the ballot, the ones receiving the highest votes being the successful candidates, who will control the affairs of the town for the next two years:

For Mayor:

W. J. Horsley 228
J. P. Wolfe 208
Henry Taylor 112

For Sergeant:

Marshall Belcher 543

For Treasurer:

P. H. Kennedy 282
Edie B. Potter 177
A. J. Williams 85

For Trustees:

E. T. Carter 341
W. H. Wren 308
W. W. Taylor 278
D. B. Sayers 277
W. A. Baker 274
W. T. Goodloe 270
P. A. Arrington 265
W. J. Rogers 178
Harry E. Jesse 174
C. O. VanGorder 164
R. W. Flanary 147

Appalachia
Election

Below is a list of the candidates and the votes they received in the election of town officials in Appalachia in yesterday's election:

For Mayor:

E. S. Woodward 323
E. P. Duffy 144

For Sergeant:

C. L. Davidson 305
G. S. Farmer 89
D. E. Olinger 50
W. Y. Tucker 24

For Council:

R. W. Holly 265
J. A. Kaylor 208
R. C. Bray 203
R. R. Williams 250
E. S. Carter 195
S. S. Vaughan 175
H. H. Head 165
D. W. Large 117
J. C. Robinette 115
J. M. Hunneycutt 77
Sam T. Dickenson 59
F. A. Mahan 47

For Treasurer:

W. L. Mainous 193
Tom A. Elliott 190

For Recorder:

L. P. Witt 331
Nannie M. Cooper 122

For Commissioner:

F. M. Strong 429

Funeral of Little James
Camblos.

The funeral of little James Camblos, the seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Camblos of this place was conducted by Rev. Charles Hale of Bristol, and was made as simple as possible because of the bereaved mother's health. The simple but beautiful service of the Episcopal church was read at the home and at the grave, where only the immediate family and friends of the beautiful child were present. The funeral took place at ten thirty o'clock Saturday morning.—Coalfield Progress.

NOTICE!

Bids will be received for the Big Stone Gap High School building to be erected at once. Plans and specifications can be had from Mr. J. S. Hamblen, clerk, at Hamblen Bros.' hardware store.
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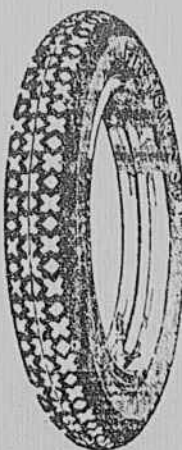
The custom adopted by present civilization is by erecting suitable Memorials to their graves. There is no more drearily or gloomier sight than a sunken, neglected grave, grown up in weeds and briars. The world forgets the words, "Honor thy father and mother, that thy days may be long." All do not do it wilfully. Putting it off, and waiting for spare money, is often the cause. It is unwise to put up Grave Markers above your means. The fact that you have remembered the grave of your departed stands for itself. Under the present system of from manufacturer direct to you, prices of Memorials have been reduced to such a low point that their cost is in reach of all.

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